UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

CIVIL NO. 04-30124-MAP

ALEX DELGADO, Petitioner,

VS.

KATHLEEN M. DENNEHEY, Respondent.

PETITIONER'S APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF APPEALABILITY

Petitioner Alex Delgado moves the Court for an order granting him a certificate of appealability [COA] pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §2253 regarding this Court's August 27, 2007 dismissal of his habeas corpus petition. The claims for which Delgado seeks a COA are: Claims One, Four and so much of Five as claims ineffective assistance of counsel in the failure to develop and present his fair cross-section claim within the time and in the manner required by state rules of procedure.

Delgado submits a brief memorandum in support of this motion which sets forth the reasons for granting the COA.

Respectfully submitted, ALEX DELGADO, PETITIONER

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